OFFICE OF THE MAYOR



Proclamation

IN RECOGNITION of "GIRL SCOUTS"

WHEREAS, Sunday, March 12, 2006, marks the 94th Anniversary of Girl Scouts of the USA, founded by Juliette Gordon Low in 1912 in Savannah, Georgia; and

WHEREAS, throughout its long and distinguished history, Girl Scouting has built girls of confidence, courage, and character who make the world a better place; and

WHEREAS, Girl Scouting expands girls' horizons encouraging them to explore opportunities in math, science, sports, technology, entrepreneurship, and other areas of interest; and

WHEREAS, More than 3.8 million current Girl Scout members nationwide will be celebrating 94 years of this American tradition, with nearly 50 million women who are former Girl Scouts and living proof of the impact of this amazing movement; and

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Deke Copenhaver, Mayor of the City of Augusta, do hereby proclaim March 12th- 18th as "GIRL SCOUT WEEK" in Augusta, Georgia.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of Augusta, Georgia, to be affixed this 12th day of March, 2006.

> Given under my hand This 12th day of March 2006 Deke Copenhaver Mayor